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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

Inventor(s): Erik P. Staats, residing in Ben Lomond, California, a U.S. Citizen

For: TRANSMISSION OF AV/C TRANSACTIONS OVER MULTIPLE TRANSPORTS METHOD AND APPARATUS

## Enclosed are:

- (X) Specification, including thirteen (13) claims and abstract, in twenty-three (23) sheets.
- (X) Six (6) sheet(s) of drawings including six (6) figures.
- (X) This application is a continuation of and claims priority to U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 09/505,385 filed February 16, 2000 of the same title.
- (X) Applicant hereby requests a THREE-MONTH extension of time in responding to the Patent Office communication mailed March 28, 2006 in co-owned and co-pending Appl. Serial No. 09/505,385.
- L(X) A copy of Declaration from prior application (3 Pages).
- (X) Copy of Assignment and Notice of Recordation from prior application (Inventor Staats to Zayante, Inc.) (3 Pages).
- (X) Copy of Assignment and Notice of Recordation from prior application (Zayante, Inc. to Apple Computer, Inc.) (9 Pages).
- (X) Preliminary Amendment (8 Pages).
- (X) Power of Attorney and Statement Under 37 CFR 3.73(b) (2 Pages).

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## **CLAIMS AS FILED**

FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA	RATE	FEE
Basic Filing Fee			\$300	\$300
Utility Search Fee			\$500	\$500
Utility Examination Fee			\$200	\$200
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Independent Claims	4 - 3=	1 ×	\$200	\$200
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Three-Month Extension Fee (large entity)			\$1020	\$1020
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- **(X)** Cancel in this application original Claims 1-13 of the prior application, and add new Claims 14-38 as provided in the Preliminary Amendment submitted herewith before calculating the filing fee.
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required to Deposit Account No. 501423. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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